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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of

H. SHITOMI et al

Serial No. 09/648,486

Group Art Unit: 3625

Filed: August 28, 2000

Examiner: S. Chang

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING  
APPLICATION SERVICES

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 17, 2003,  
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☐ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

|  | (COL. 1)                         |       | (COL. 2)                        |   | (COL. 3)      |
|--|----------------------------------|-------|---------------------------------|---|---------------|
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| Total  | • 13                             | Minus | •• 20                           | = | 0             |
| Indep.   | • 6                              | Minus | ••• 5                           | = | 1             |
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| Rate  | Additional Fee |
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| x 9   | \$             |
| x 42  | \$             |
| + 140 | \$             |
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|-------|----------------|
| x 18  | \$ 0           |
| x 84  | \$ 84          |
| + 280 | \$ 0           |
| Total | \$ 84          |

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- ☒ Any Extension of Time fees that are necessary, which are hereby requested if necessary.

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